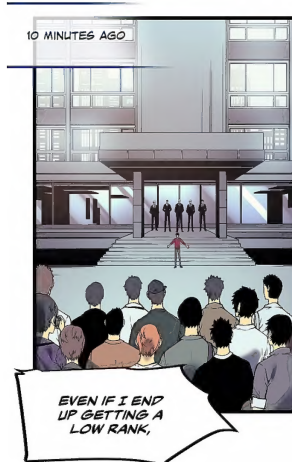




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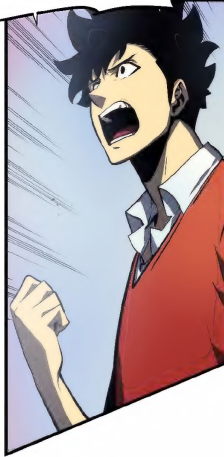
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I WILL STILL FIGHT
AGAINST MAGIC
BEASTS TO REPAY
ALL THE LOVE AND
SUPPORT MY FANS
HAVE GIVEN ME!

WHATEVER
RANK I GET TODAY,
I, LEE MINSUNG,
PROMISE TO BE A
HUNTER WHO SERVES
THE PEOPLE!



WHAT?
LEE MINSUNG
IS RETIRING?

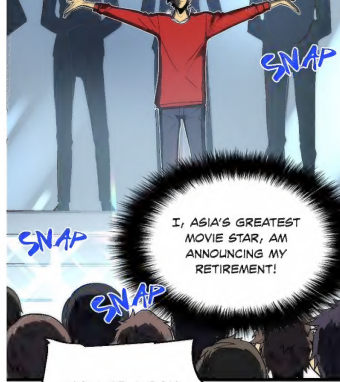
REGARDLESS
OF HIS RANK?



ARE YOU SAYING
YOU'LL THROW AWAY
YOUR TITLE AS ASIA'S
BIGGEST STAR AND
BECOME A HUNTER,
EVEN IF YOU RECEIVE
A LOW RANK?

YES, PAY
ATTENTION TO ME,
EVERYONE! TO THE
ONE AND ONLY
LEE MINSUNG!





I, ASIA'S GREATEST
MOVIE STAR, AM
ANNOUNCING MY
RETIREMENT!

MR. LEE, LOOK
THIS WAY!

YOU'LL GIVE UP
EVERYTHING EVEN IF
YOU TURN OUT TO BE
A LOW-RANKING
HUNTER?!

OF COURSE,
THIS IS ALL JUST
A BIG FAT LIE.

I'VE ALREADY
BEEN EVALUATED
AND RECEIVED
AN A-RANK!

JUST TWO
YEARS.

FOR JUST TWO
YEARS, I'M GOING TO BE
PAID MILLIONS TO HELP
PROMOTE THE FIEND
GUILD,

WHICH WILL PUT
TO REST ANY RUMORS
ABOUT ME AND DIVERT
THE PUBLIC'S ATTENTION
AWAY FROM THE ISSUE OF
MY MANDATORY MILITARY
SERVICE!



EVERYONE WILL BE
IN AWE OF HOW I GAVE
UP FAME AND FORTUNE
AND PUT MY LIFE ON
THE LINE TO PROTECT
THE CITIZENS OF
THIS COUNTRY.

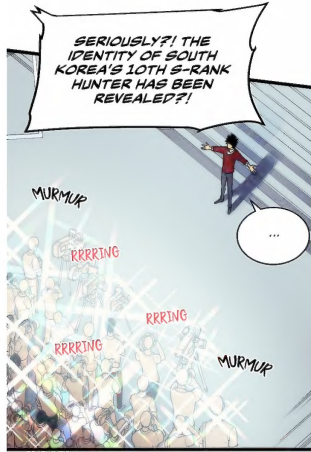
A PRETTY
CONVINCING STORY,
IF I DO SAY SO
MYSELF.

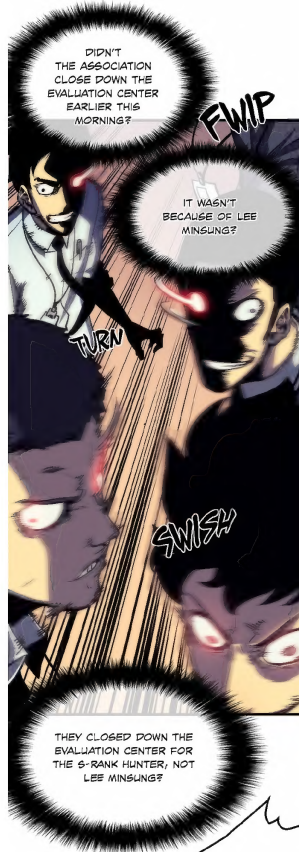
I WOULD LIKE
TO THANK MR. LIM
TAE-GYU, THE MASTER
OF THE FIEND GUILD,
FOR INVITING ME
TO JOIN...

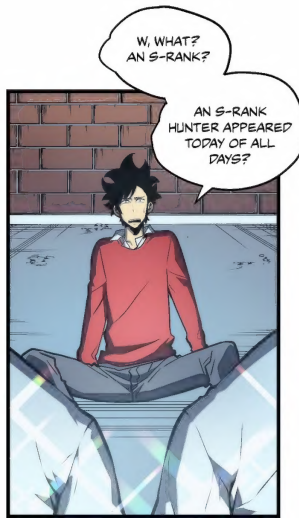
**WHAT?!
AN S-RANK
HUNTER?!**

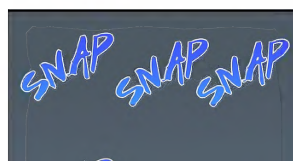
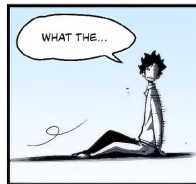
YOU GOT A
CALL FROM THE
ASSOCIATION?

WHY
THE HELL ARE
YOU TELLING
ME NOW?!

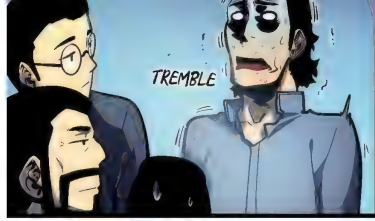


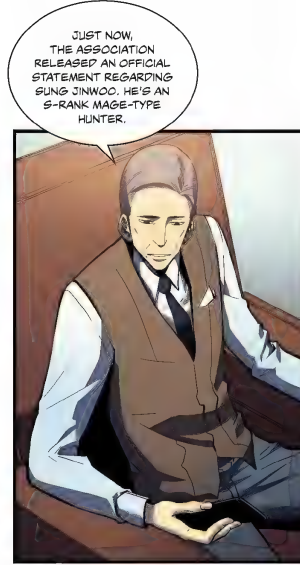


















WE
ON
AN

CAN'T KEEP RELYING
OUR LEGAL SYSTEM
D THE GOVERNMENT
TO PROTECT US.

I WANT TO CREATE
A GUILD SO THAT I CAN
RECRUIT TRUSTWORTHY
HUNTERS.

NOT BECAUSE I
WANT TO MAKE MONEY OR
CONNECTIONS, BUT BECAUSE
I WANT TO FIND HUNTERS
THAT I CAN TRULY TRUST
AND DEPEND ON.



IT SEEMS LIKE
YOU'VE ALREADY
MANAGED TO
FIND ONE.

SO YOU HAVE
MY APPROVAL.



I'LL LET YOU
BE THE LEADER
OF THE YOOJIN
GUILD.





BUILD
AND EXPAND THE
YOOJIN GUILD.



GATHER UP STRONG
HUNTERS THAT YOU CAN
TRUST AND MAKE THEM
YOUR ALLIES.

IN THE FUTURE,
THOSE HUNTERS
WILL BE THE MOST
VALUABLE ASSET
YOU OWN.

THANK YOU,
FATHER!



BUT I CAN'T
ACCEPT YOUR
OFFER.



HM?



EXCUSE ME!
MR. SUNG, PLEASE
LOOK THIS WAY!

MR. SUNG! THE
ENTIRE COUNTRY
IS WATCHING.
COME ON, SMILE
FOR THE
CAMERAS!

DEALING
WITH THEM WILL
DRAIN YOU.

LET US
TAKE YOU HOME.
PLEASE FOLLOW
ME.









I ALREADY
KNEW HE WAS
STRONG,

BUT THIS ISN'T
JUST A MATTER
OF STRENGTH.



THE WAY HE
MOVED JUST
NOW...

I COULD FEEL
HOW INTENSE HIS MANA
LEVELS WERE WHEN WE
MET IN FRONT OF THE
EVALUATION ROOM!

HE'S GOT INSANE
MAGIC CAPABILITIES!
SO THIS IS THE REAL
SUNG JINWOOD?

EXCUSE ME,
HOLD ON A
SECOND!

I NEED TO
HAVE A WORD
WITH YOU!

HE'S BECOME
MUCH STRONGER
SINCE THE LAST
TIME I SAW
HIM!

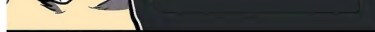
WE WASTED THIS
AND THE LAST
CHANCE. THIS
IS THE LAST
CHANCE.

AT LEAST I WAS
ABLE TO RESIST
THREE OF YOUR
HUNTERS.

2. THE GUILD
ISN'T THE
ONLY ONE
THAT CAN
HANDLE
HIM.

AS THE GUILD
MASTER, PROBABLY
YOU'RE THINKING
OF THE GUILD.

I'M SURE THE
SUNG JINWOOD NOW
IS MORE POWERFUL
THAN WE ARE.



BUT HIS REAWAKENING MUST HAVE HAPPENED A WHILE BACK.

SO HOW DID HE BECOME STRONGER? IT DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE.

TURN

NO...

PERHAPS HE WASN'T REAWAKENED!

COULD HE BE...



To Be Continued...

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